## STAFF REPORT

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| **Agenda Item:** | 6 | **Name:** | Clifton Curry |
| **Proposed No**.: | 2019-0127 | **Date:** | September 3, 2019 |

**SUBJECT**

Proposed Motion 2019-0127 A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Rebecca Chan, who resides in council district one, to the King County women's advisory board, as the district one representative.

**SUMMARY**

The Executive has forwarded for Council consideration and approval the appointment of Rebecca Chan to the King County Women’s Advisory Board, serving as the district one representative. The appointment is for a partial term expiring July 1, 2020. Proposed Motion 2019-0127 would confirm this appointment to the Women’s Advisory Board.

**BACKGROUND**

The Women’s Advisory Board was created to foster programs, legislation and policies for the benefit of women throughout King County. The board acts in an advisory capacity to the King County Executive, the County Council, and the women’s program in respect to matters concerning women. Per King County Code 2.30.060, the King County women’s advisory board shall be composed of fifteen members, one nominated from each council district by the council and six at-large members, of whom four shall be nominated by the council and two shall be nominated by the executive. All nominations shall represent the diversity of women in King County, including diversity in age, area of residence, profession and race or ethnicity, and shall not include employees or board members of agencies receiving funding from the women’s program. Nominees shall be appointed by the county executive and confirmed by the county council by motion.

**ANALYSIS**

The application materials note that Ms. Chan is currently a Labor Benchmarking Consultant with Providence Health & Services (formally Swedish Health Services). She has a Bachelor’s Degree from the University of Washington and also is a Certified Public Accountant. Ms. Chan notes in her application materials that “we have always advocated for early childhood education and serve on district/school committees. Our children attend a community-based school because we believe it is important to contribute our time for the students to have a full educational experience. Family-friendly workplace is important to keeping our communities healthy so parents can fully participate in child life.”

**ATTACHMENTS**

1. Proposed Motion 2019-0127
2. Transmittal Letter.